04/12/06

Attorney Docket No. 881075/0003

MT

NOTICE OF APPEAL FROM THE

EXAMINERS OF THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES

Applicant:

Michael Hrabik et al.

Examiner:

Jenise E. Jackson

Application No.:

09/770,525

Confirmation No.:

5856

Filed:

January 25, 2001

Group Art Unit:

2131

For:

METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR VERIFYING THE INTEGRITY OF

COMPUTER NETWORKS AND IMPLEMENTATION OF

COUNTERMEASURES

Mail Stop AF Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

NOTICE OF APPEAL

Sir:

Applicants hereby appeal to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the Decision dated January 30, 2006 of the Primary Examiner rejecting Claims 23, 25, 28-30, 32, 33, 35 and 39-41.

The item(s) checked below are appropriate:

[X]	Notice of Appeal fee is enclosed (if applicable)	
	[X]	\$250.00 - Small Entity status has been previously established in this case.
		\$500.00.
		Not required (fee paid in prior appeal).
[X]	Our firm's check in the amount of \$250.00 is enclosed.	
[X]	The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge and/or credit Deposit Account No. 50-0675 for any overpayments or deficiencies in the above-calculated fee.	

04/13/2006 MAHMED1 00000016 09770525

01 FC:2401

250.00 OP

Respectfully submitted,

Schulte Roth & Zabel LLP Attorneys for Applicant 919 Third Avenue New York, NY 10022 212-756-2000

Dated: April 10, 2006

New York, New York

By:

Anna Vishev
Anna Vishev

Reg. No. 45,018

CERTIFICATE OF EXPRESS MAILING

Date of Deposit: April 10, 2006

Express Mail Label No.: EV325882295US

I hereby certify under 37 C.F.R. 1.10 that this correspondence and enumerated documents are being deposited with the United States Postal Service as "Express Mail Post Office to Addressee" with sufficient postage on the date indicated above and is addressed to: Mail Stop AF, Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450.

Name: Signature: Sarah Schlie
Sarah Schlie

Schulte Roth & Zabel, LLP